



## **BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002**

### **Box Butte , Nebraska [31013]**

Box Butte is one of 93 counties in Nebraska. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2002 population of 11,771 ranked 22nd in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Box Butte had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$24,993. This PCPI ranked 29th in the state and was 86 percent of the state average, \$29,203, and 81 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected a decrease of 0.8 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.8 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Box Butte was \$18,819 and ranked 20th in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2002 Box Butte had a total personal income (TPI) of \$294,196\*. This TPI ranked 23rd in the state and accounted for 0.6 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Box Butte was \$242,609\* and ranked 22nd in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 1.4 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.2 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 1.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Box Butte. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 64.4 percent of TPI (compared with 68.0 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 17.8 percent (compared with 19.5 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.8 percent (compared with 12.5 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings decreased 2.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 4.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.7 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 1.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.6 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Box Butte decreased from \$256,082\* in 2001 to \$247,381\* in 2002, a decrease of 3.4 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.2 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$209,961\* to the 2002 estimate was 1.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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